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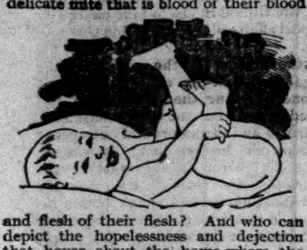
No joy or pleasure on this earth quite equals that which comes into the home when baby arrives. Who can describe the happiness of man and woman, joined in wedlock, as they look upon the fragile, delicate mite that is blood of their blood



and flesh of their flesh? And who can depict the hopelessness and dejection that hover about the home where the wife is incapable of becoming a mother? Barrenness proceeds from some derangement of the distinctly feminine organs. Many of the common ailments known as "female troubles" cause it. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription overcomes barrenness by stamping out diseases of women, and by healing and curing ulceration. It tones up the system, stops drains, and restores strength. During gestation it modifies morning sickness, gives elasticity to the overstrained parts concerned, makes the hour of baby's coming short and almost painless, and gives wonderful recuperative power to the patient. By making the mother strong and cheerful, it makes the little one healthy, vigorous and good natured. Insist upon the medicine dealer giving you Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription when you ask for it. Substitutes are often dangerous.

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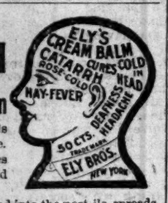

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Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; Trial Size, 10 cents.

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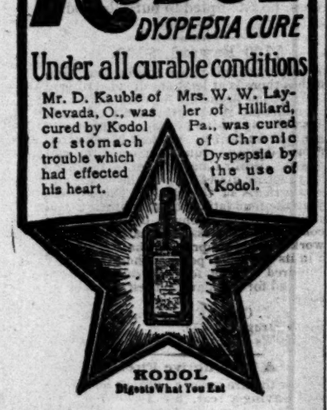

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BELLICOSE CASTRO.

According to trustworthy advices the situation in Venezuela is unchanged, both internally and as to foreign affairs, except that the relations between President Castro and the various legations at Caracas are a little more strained. Castro has now ceased to talk with the European representatives concerning the Venezuelan indebtedness, and the recent recall of Gen. Antonio Velutini, second vice president of Venezuela, who has been in Europe for some time endeavoring to arrange for a settlement with the British and German bondholders, is regarded as an indication that the negotiations have failed.

The members of the diplomatic corps are chafing under the state of affairs now existing, and some of them are frank in saying that the existing situation cannot be much further prolonged. It is understood that none of the diplomats has been able to have an interview with Castro concerning disputed international questions for months.

President Castro maintains his belligerent attitude and continues to make military preparations. He apparently regards an attack on Porto Cabello and LaGuayra as probable, and has mounted six new French 6-inch guns and a number of small guns on the heights overlooking these ports, and has available three small coast defense vessels.

It is said that the majority of the Venezuelans look upon the possibility of foreign intervention either with indifference or favorably, as present internal conditions are causing much interest. Excessive taxation, heavy expenditures, the political preferment of incapable men, and the resulting chaotic business conditions are turning from Castro much of the best element in Venezuela. Neighboring South American republics also seem to regard the idea of intervention without resentment.

Brazilian newspapers are openly advocating a settlement of affairs in Venezuela by the United States, and the South American press generally is less caustic in its criticisms of American interference in the affairs of southern republics.

Castro's attitude is reflected in a pamphlet just issued through one of his advisers, Col. Juan Bautistia Lamedo, in which plans for sending 30,000 Venezuelans against New Orleans are disclosed. The pamphlet urges the public to avenge the insults offered Venezuela by the Americans, and declares that the invasion of the Mississippi valley would be the most effective means of curbing the power of the United States.

A Ghastly Find.

A bundle of clothes consisting of a woman's skirt and man's trousers, were found yesterday in the vicinity of Ironville, Va., where a human head was found by a dog a few days ago. The garments were blood-stained and had evidently been in the hiding place for several months.

The last find was made by some men yesterday afternoon who were returning from work. Every one in that section is constantly on the lookout for the body to which the head belonged. As the men were going along a path that is not frequently used, and which runs through a patch of weeds, they were attracted by an object that was lying some distance from the path and down in a gully. Upon investigation they found the bloody garments. The skirt, a black one, is of very good quality. Near the waist there is a cut, and all of one side is dyed with blood.

One leg of the trousers is very badly cut and the left pocket is stained with blood, apparently caused by some one putting a bloody hand into the pocket.

The disappearance of the stranger who left a valise at the station is still a mystery. No one has called for the valise and it is still at the station. A party will be formed Sunday, and it is their intention to make minute and thorough search of all the section around where the head and the wearing apparel were found, with a hope that the balance of the body may be located. That a murder has been committed there is no doubt and the finding of the skirt has led some to think that the head might have been that of a woman instead of a man. So far as known no woman has disappeared from that section.

Proper Treatment of Pneumonia.

Pneumonia is too dangerous a disease for anyone to attempt to doctor himself, although he may have the proper remedies at hand. A physician should always be called. It should be borne in mind, however, that pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of the grip, and by the proper treatment of these diseases a threatened attack of pneumonia may be warded off. There is no question whatever about this, as during the thirty years and more that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been used, we have yet to learn of a single case of a cold or attack of the grip having resulted in pneumonia when this remedy was used. It is also used by physicians in the treatment of pneumonia with the best results. Dr. W. J. Smith, of Sanders, Ala., who is also a druggist, says of it: "I have been selling Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and prescribing it in my practice for the past six years. I use it in cases of pneumonia and have always gotten the best results." Sold by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

INTERESTING LETTER

WRITTEN BY A NOTABLE WOMAN

Mrs. Sarah Kellogg of Denver, Color Bearer of the Woman's Relief Corps, Sends Thanks to Mrs. Pinkham.

Mrs. Sarah Kellogg

The following letter was written by Mrs. Kellogg, of 1628 Lincoln Ave., Denver, Colo., to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass.:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—"For five years I was troubled with a tumor, which kept growing, causing me intense agony and great mental depression. I was unable to attend to my house work, and life became a burden to me. I was confined for days to my bed, lost my appetite, my courage and all hope.

"I could not bear to think of an operation, and in my distress I tried every remedy which I thought would be of any use to me, and reading of the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to sick women decided to give it a trial. I felt so discouraged that I had little hope of recovery, and when I began to feel better, after the second week, thought it only meant temporary relief; but to my great surprise I found that I kept gaining, while the tumor lessened in size.

"The Compound continued to build up my general health and the tumor seemed to be absorbed, until, in seven months, the tumor was entirely gone and I a well woman. I am so thankful for my recovery that I ask you to publish my letter in newspapers, so other women may know of the wonderful curative powers of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."

When women are troubled with irregular or painful menstruation, weakness, leucorrhœa, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, flatulence, general debility, indigestion and nervous prostration, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such trouble.

No other medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement. No other medicine has such a record of cures of female troubles. Refuse to buy any other medicine.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health. Address, Lynn, Mass.

Health is too valuable to risk in experiments with unknown and untried medicines or methods of treatment. Remember that it is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that is curing women, and don't allow any druggist to sell you anything else in its place.

Refuses Punch Bowl.

Ex-Postmaster General Robert W. Wynne, who has been appointed Consul General at London, will not under any circumstances accept the silver punch bowl which employes of the Postoffice Department have been anxious to present to him. The intended gift, which was valued at $250, will be returned to the manufacturer and the employes contributing to the gift will pay for the inscriptions on its edge. Mr. Wynne declined to accept the gift because he believed it to be unlawful for a government official to receive any such tokens from subordinate employes. The suggestion has been made that the bowl be presented to his wife, but Mr. Wynne promptly decided that this would be an evasion of the law. He informed the committee that while he appreciated the spirit prompting the employes of the Postoffice Department, he could not under any circumstance accept the bowl.

Like Finding Money.

Finding health is like finding money—so think those who are sick. When you have a cough, cold, sore throat or chest irritation, better act promply like W. C. Barber, of Sandy Level, Va. He says: "I had a terrible chest trouble, caused by smoke and coal dust on my lungs; but, after finding no relief in other remedies, I was cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds." Greatest sale of any cough or lung medicine on earth. At E. S. Leadbeater & Son's drug store; 50c and $1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

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One lot Dress Ginghams, 8c value, at 5⅛c yard.
One case Dark Percales, yard wide, 12½c value, at 7½c yard.
One lot yard wide Shirting Madras, 15c value, at 8⅞c yard.
One lot Fancy Mercerized White Goods, 19c value, at 10c yard.
One case Bleached Shaker Flannel, 8c value, at 5⅞c yard.
One case Apron Ginghams, 7c value, at 5c yard.
One lot Swiss Draperies, 12½c value, at 6⅞c yard.
2½ pieces Colored Silk Foulardines at 12½c yard.
100 pieces English Long Cloths, 10c value, at 6⅞c yard.
One lot French Ginghams, 15c value, at 7⅞c yard.
50 pieces Plaid Crashes at 2½c yard.
50 pieces Bleached Huck Towelling, 8c value, at 5c yard.
One case yard wide Bleached Cotton, 8c value, at 5⅞c yard.
One bale yard wide Heavy Brown Cotton 8c value, at 5⅜c yard.
10 pieces yard wide White Cambric, 12½c value, at 8⅜c yard.
One lot Light Outing Flannels, 8c value, at 5c yard.
One lot Embroidery, 8c value, at 5c yard.
500 yards White Persian Lawn at 10c yard.
25 pieces 40-inch India Linons, 15c value, at 10c yard.
One lot remnants Fancy Silks, 50c, 75c and $1, values, at 25c yard.
White Wash Silk, 39c value, at 25c yard.
One lot All-wool Dress Goods Remnants, 50c to 75c values, at 25c yard.
Large size Bleached Sheets at 35c.
100 gross White Pearl Buttons 3c dozen.
25 dozen 2-clasp Kid Gloves, new spring shades, $1 value, at 69c.
One lot Corsets, 49c value, at 35c.
Ladies' Ribbed Vests and Pants, 25c value, at 17c.
Ladies' White Wash Silk Waists, $2.50 value, at $1.98.
Ladies' White Silk Waists, $3.99 value, at $2.49.
Ladies' Cambric Corset Covers at 9c.
Ladies' Muslin Drawers at 19c.
Ladies' Dressing Sacques, 69c value, at 39c.
Ladies' Outing Gowns; 59c value, at 35c.
Children's Sweaters, 50c value, at 35c.
Ladies' Sweaters, $2 value, at $1.29.
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Three Story Frame, 10 rooms and bath, east side of Alfred street, between Cameron and Queen streets, price $3,000.

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MALCOLM HUFTY, Secretary.

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THE PREVAILING war between Russia and Japan seems to be disturbing the waters in others countries, and its effects are far-reaching. As was stated yesterday, it has given birth to the absurd notion that Japan will, sooner or later, demand the Philippine Islands. The German Reichstag seems to be in a constant ferment on matters pertaining to the war. Chancellor von Buelow and Herr Rebel, the socalist leader, engaged in a bitter discussion yesterday over Germany's Russian policy. The Chancellor's usual composure and good humor in debate were disturbed by the almost savage criticism of the socialist chief who said that German's "creeping, before Russia had humiliated her in the eyes of the world and had brought her to shame." He held Von Buelow responsible for Prussia engaging in the nasty work of catching fugitives from Russian military service and turning them over to agents of the autocrat and for forcing men and women, whose only offense was love of liberty, to leave Prussian territory at the instance of Russian spies." While such incidents are in evidence, it was significant that while internal disturbances were in vogue in Russia the distemper broke out in Paris, and it is the impression of many that should the revolutionists in the Czar's domains succeed in their crusade against the present autocracy their example would be followed in other continental countries—especially in Germany and France—and that the movement might become widespread.

C. BASCOM SLEMP, the new chairman of the State republican committee, was in Richmond yesterday and made this important announcement.

We are going to make a nomination for every office on the State ticket and we are going to wage a campaign that will show the republicans mean business. The convention will have to decide whether candidates shall be put up for the Senate and House. I favor it and hope we can arouse the party all over the State.

Mr. Slemp is young and arduous, and has many things to learn. Should he carry out the above programme it will result in the collapse of another house of cards.

PRESIDENT CASTRO, of Venezuela, seems to have contracted the Oom Paul Kruger fever, but the indications point to a brief crisis and convalescence in his case. According to dispatches, he has his eye on New Orleans and the Mississippi valley, and should the United States attempt to curb his bellicose attitude toward France, in order to maintain the Monroe doctrine by keeping the French out of the new world, the Venezuelans will attack New Orleans and invade the country. Castro has given much trouble during recent years, and his latest outburst is a serious menance to the peace of this hemisphere.

BY a deal between the Peabody and anti-Peabody republicans in the Colorado legislature Governor Adams, the legally elected democrat, was yesterday ousted from his seat, which was turned over to ex-Governor Peabody who has agreed to resign so that Lieutenant-Governor McDonald may take the chair as Governor of the State. This announcement will occasion no surprise to those who have been watching the political jugglery which has been going in the Colorado legislature recently.

IN AN open letter written to Mr. John M. Blair, of New York city, Secretary of War William H. Taft gives in detail his views regarding the question of self-government for the Filipinos. He states that not for a generation, at least, will there be any danger of the United States—if the present policy is adhered to—turning the islands over to the natives for government. This is pipers' news. Nobody with any sense ever believed for an instant that the Filipinos will ever be free.

IT HAS NOW been discovered, or is claimed to have been discovered, at least, that the human appendix can be used as a means through which to treat dysentery. The discoverer says that the appendix must be brought to the surface and infused with a decoction of quinine which will then find its way into the great intestine. From a layman's standpoint it would appear that if the dysentery did not kill the patient the surgical operation would.

THE Delaware legislature has passed the bill abolishing the pillory as a mode of punishment for crime in that State. The whipping post, which has a tendency to check that grade of crime so prevalent in other States, such as pocket-picking and petty larceny, is to remain, however, as a deterrent to evil doers.

The Official Police Journal of Berlin publishes an administrative order expelling from Berlin Howard Beard, an American. Beard is described as a student of music from Coleville, Utah, and 35 years of age. The police refuse to give the reasons for his expulsion.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]
Washington, D. C., March 17.

The President and Mrs. Roosevelt, accompanied by Secretary Loeb, Dr. Chas. F. Stokes of the navy, and Stenographer Latta, left this morning for New York in the special car Olympia, attached to the regular 6:55 Pennsylvania train. This afternoon at 3:30 the President will attend the wedding of Miss Eleanor Roosevelt and Mr. Franklin Roosevelt at the residence of the bride's mother. He will then go to the home of Mrs. Douglas Robinson, the President's sister. In the evening he will attend two banquets, the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick at Delmonico's and the Sons of the American Revolution, at the Hotel Astor. The presidential party will leave New York on the return trip to Washington soon after midnight.

Minister Takahira today received the following advices from Tokio: "The railway station and other facilities for rransportation at Tieling are practically unimpaired, being in about the same condition as those at Liaoyang after its fall. Of the large quantity of Russian provision and fodder stored nearby, two thirds had been burned by the enemy. Our troops took many trophies which as yet remain uncounted. Numerous prisoners were captured on our right, but their number has not yet been reported.

The Interstate Commerce Commission has set for hearing at Cincinnati, on March 28, the case of the National Wholesale Liquor Dealers' Association against 31 railroads, complaining that the rate on whisky in carloads was increased from $1 to $1.25 per 100 pounds, although the rate on alcohol was allowed to remain at 85 cents. On March 27, also in Cincinnati, the commission will hear the three cases brought by Dewey Brothers Co., against the B. & O., C. & O., and other railroads, alleging unfair rates on hay from Ohio to North Carolina points, also the case of the Globe Wernicke Co. against a number of railroads, protesting against the rate on book cases, "knocked down and shipped in packages" as compared with the rate on other articles of similar character.

The armored cruiser Washington, which is to be launched tomorrow at Camden, N. J., by her builders, the New York Shipbuilding Co., represents, so naval constructors say, the highest type of armored cruisers ever developed by this or any other nation in the world. When completed the Washington will have a speed of not less than 22 knots. In battery power the Washington and her sistership, the Tennessee, will excel any armored cruiser designed in the world, and they will be the equal in this respect to a large majority of battleships built by foreign powers.

The Secretary of the Navy is undecided whether to expend $850,000 in the purchase of submarine boats as authorized under an act of April 27, 1904. He had decided to expend but a portion of this sum this year and utilize the remainder when the utility of certain improvements in progress in submarine construction had been demonstrated. A ruling of the Comptroller of the Treasury may change his decision, as that official has just held that the appropriation in question comes within the class of those demanding expenditure during the year in fulfillment of contracts let during that period.

Application for immediate issuance of a mandate in the recent decision in the Harriman-Hill case was made in the U. S. Supreme Court this morning by W. P. Clough, general counsel for the Northern Securities Company, and opposed by Maxwell Evarts, representing the Harriman interests. The Chief Justice agreed to take the motion under advisement.

The Comptroller of the Currency issued a call this morning for a report on the condition of national banks at the close of business Tuesday morning, March 14.

Former Senator Hawley, of Connecticut, was still alive this morning, but is apparently sinking away. His family have no hope for his recovery. He continues in a comatose state.

Judge Charles C. Cole died at his residence this morning from pneumonia. Judge Cole resigned his position as a member of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia several years ago and since that time has practiced law.

Foul Play Suspected.

Paterson, N. J., March 17.—John Bennett, of No. 12 Doremus street, was found dead this morning in the Valley of the Rocks on the banks of the Passaic river, at the foot of Monument heights, a precipice, 125 feet high. There are suspicious circumstances surrounding his death and the detective force are now at work on the case. The police claim that the man flung himself from the base of a statue commemorating the soldiers of Passaic county, who fought in the civil war, which stands on the top of Monument Heights overlooking the city of Paterson. This story is shattered by the fact that the body was found in a deep mire and the only injury caused by the fall was a dislocation of one leg. The cause of death was a blow over the left eye, which caused a fracture of the skull. Cornelius Cook, a watchman for the Passaic Water Company, who found the body at 12:20 a. m. recalls sounds of angry voices, and his story strengthens the belief that Bennett was thrown from the cliff. No money or jewels was found on the remains, while friends assert that he had a gold watch. A woman seen in the company of several men, near where the body was found, is being looked for by the detective force. The dead man was about 45 years old, and well known for many years as an agent of a prominent insurance company. He leaves a widow and five children.

Sea Serpent Redivivus?

The British bark Howard D. Troop Capt. D. W. Corning, arrived at New York yesterday from Kobe, Japan, and reported sighting what appeared to be the lifeless body of a great snake floating on the surface of the ocean off the west coast of Africa, several degrees below the equator. The thing, which Captain Corning declared was a sea serpent, was 60 feet in length, and a big white seagull was perched upon its back. The serpent was black, with a rough coating. The captain didn't notice that the seagull was trying to peck the snake, but as the ship forged ahead before the stiff breeze the bird was still on its back as the two of them faded from view. The captain said they didn't lower sail and attempt to capture the serpent because of the necessity of making as quick a voyage as possible.

News of the Day.

The Nicaraguan extradition treaty was ratified and the Russian corporation treaty was discussed at some length in the Senate yesterday.

Mr. Jeremiah D. Mallory, the head of the well-known railroad supply firm of J. D. Mallory of Baltimore, died yesterday of Bright's disease.

In Washington last night ex-Senator Henry G. Davis gave a dinner to Vice President Fairbanks, the man who defeated him for the position.

Secretary of State Hay is compelled to give up work temporarily on account of his health. Secretary Taft will look after the State Department while Mr. Hay is abroad.

The executive council of the American Federation of Labor in Washington yesterday adopted resolutions disapproving of the conduct of the Western Federation of Miners, which is alleged to have been trying to divide the labor movement of the country. In addition to appropriating $2,000 for the United Garment Workers of America, the federation council decided to issue a circular appealing to all organized labor for voluntary contributions to the aid of the garment workers. The conduct of the Western Federation of Miners has been considered throughout the week and came up upon the report of the sub committee, to which the subject had been referred.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

A New York and Washington express, northbound, known as No. 46, with 237 passengers for Philadephia, Brooklyn, New York and points East on board, was wrecked on the Philadephia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad six miles south of Elkton, Md., at noon yesterday. The train was due at Elkton a few minutes before 12 o'clock, and being behind time, was running at an unusually high rate of speed—over 60 miles an hour—when the mishap occurred. Just as it passed the North East signal tower one of the springs attached to the brakes on the dining car fell on the track. This was dragged along until it struck the frog of the switch, which caused the tracks to bulge out and the rear car jumped the track.

The three day coaches in the rear were immediately thrown from the tracks and the trucks torn from under them. They, however, were not overturned, but the car windows were nearly all broken and the passengers thrown from their seats and many badly shaken up. Four were painfully injured.

The dining car was pulled along up the track nearly 300 years before it broke away from the Pullman cars to which it was attached. Then its rear trucks were knocked from under it. While being dragged up the road the dining car tore up and twisted the tracks in the rear of it and on the right side of it.

Wreck trains from Perryville and Wilmington, together with large gangs of men, were sent to the scene and started to work removing the broken cars and relaying the tracks.

The southbound track was not injured, and both north and southbound trains were run over it between Charlestown and Elkton. At first it was feared that the wreck was a disastrous one, and a telephone message was sent to Elkton for all physicians that could do so to come to the scene of the wreck at once.

THE WAR.

This morning's dispatches state that the Japanese are in hot pursuit of the disheartened remnants of Kuropatkin's army beyond Tie Pass, and, at any moment, may cut off the escape of the Russians and force them to either surrender or attempt to cut their way through.

The loss of the pass leaves Russia with no other stronghold in southern Manchuria, and it is feared Kuropatkin now will be enveloped; St. Petersburg being still in doubt as to the whereabouts of the Japanese General Kawamura's army.

The Russians are now in the mountains a few miles north of the southern entrance to the pass. Kuropatkin has been reinforced by a few new troops, but he is short of supplies and ammunition.

It is believed that strong influences are at work to induce Russia to accept peace. M. Witte is reported to have said to a French banker that Russia could afford to suffer a defeat in Manchuria, but not in Paris.

The German government has been informed that the Czar has put aside all peace suggestions and is determined to continue the war.

Admiral Togo has sailed from the vicinity of Singapore evidently to try to engage Vice-Admiral Rojestvensky's Russian squadron.

Mysterious Affair.

Dominick Deluca, the ten-years old boy who was beaten and kicked into insensibility at the same time that his five-year-old sister Mary was assaulted and killed in an old blacksmith shop in Howellville, Pa., Tuesday night, died yesterday in the Chester county hospital. For a few moments before he expired the boy recovered consciousness, and being questioned by the hospital physicians, he said: "Mother told me not to tell. She said if I did I'd be killed. There was a fight in the house. Mary ran out and I ran after her. A man followed us—" At this point the boy stopped, and in answer to further questioning muttered his first statement that his mother told him not to tell. He died without throwing any more light on the crime. With the child's incoherent sentences as a clew, the authorities have begun a new line of investigation. Chief of Police Jefferson visited the Deluca home at Howellville. Although the dying lad did not say in what house the fight occurred, the police presume he meant his parents' home. District Attorney Lack says: "There are three theories the authorities are working on. One is that the children were killed by a fiend who wanted to wreak vengeance on the parents; the second, that the children were slain because they had witnessed a crime perpetrated in the house, and the third, that the little girl had been assaulted by a brute, who, being detected in the attack by the brother, killed him also to remove the only witness of the crime."

Best Remedy for Constipation.

"The finest remedy for constipation I ever used is Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets," says Mr. Eli Butler, of Frankville, N. Y. "They act gently and without any unpleasant effect, and leave the bowels in a perfectly natural condition." Sold by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

Virginia News.

Mr. J. O. Daniel, of Evergreen Mills, has announced his candidacy for the State Senate from the counties of Loudoun and Fauquier.

Mr. Robert A. Riticor, of Aldie, aged 61 years; Miss Bettie Chinn, of Little River, aged 67, and Mrs. Thomas Hickman, of Taylorstown, all of Loudoun county, died this week.

Mrs. Hortense Davis, aged 75 years, died Wednesday night of grip after an illness of only two days. She died at the home of Mr. Warner Cropp, near Onville, Stafford county.

Rev. James M. Greene, pastor of the Southern Methodist Church at Berryville, has accepted the presidency of the Tuscaloosa Female College, at Tuscaloosa, Ala., and will take charge on June 1.

To punish her husband, who came home in Richmond last night in what she considered a condition of intoxication, Mrs. W. N. Landers threw pepper in his eyes. His sight maybe badly impaired.

A man named Fisher was burned in the jail at Clifton Forge Wednesday night. He was placed in jail for drunkenness, and the prison was destroyed by fire, which started in the city stables adjoining it. Half of the building of F. B. Staley & Co.'s furniture and undertaking establishment was also burned.

Graham F. Blandy, a young millionaire of New York, is to have one of the finest estates in Virginia. Recently he bought the Boyce estate, The Tuleyries, in Clarke county, consisting of about 785 acres, for which he paid something like $50,000, and Wednesday he bought 215 acres adjoining from Jacob S. Garver for $18,000, making a total of 1,000 acres, which he will convert into a modern stock farm.

COURT OF APPEALS.

Opinions were rendered yesterday by the Court of Appeals in these cases:

Oriental Lumber Company vs. Blades Lumber Company, from the Court of Law and Chancery of city of Norfolk; reversed.

Postal Telegraph Cable Company vs. Umstadter, from the Court of Law and Chancery of city of Norfolk; affirmed.

Taylor vs. Taylor, from the Circuit Court of Norfolk county; reversed.

W. Harrison Blair vs. Security Bank, from Law and Equity Court, city of Richmond; reversed.

The opinion embodying the decision of the court in the case of Taylor vs. Taylor is most interesting, and presents a case very rare in Virginia courts. The case came from the Circuit Court of Norfolk county, before which, by writ of habeas corpus, a Thomas Taylor sought to recover the possession of his two children, a little boy and a baby girl, who, at the time the proceedings were begun, were two years and three months old and three months of age, respectively. The couple were married in April, 1900, Taylor being at the time twenty-one years of age, and his bride only seventeen. On the evening of November 7, 1903, when Taylor returned to his home in Cape Charles, he found his wife had gone, taking with her their two children. He learned that she had gone to her brother's home in Huntersville, a suburb of Norfolk. He went in a day or two to see her, and entreated her to return home, but she refused to do so, and he afterward renewed the invitation through his counsel, but without avail. The lower court refused his prayer, and he appealed. In deciding the case, the Supreme Court expresses the hope that reflection will satisfy the respondent that her own happiness, and, above all, the welfare of her children imperatively demand that she should accept her husband's invitation and return to the comfort and protection of his home; and with the view of bringing about this reconciliation, the case is remanded to the Circuit Court, with direction to enter an order requiring the prompt delivery of the elder of the children, William Thomas, to the father. As to the younger child, Ella Charlotte, the case is directed to be continued for six months, and, if within that time the wife returns with the child to her husband's home, the case will be dismissed; but if, at the end of that time, she has not done so, an order will be entered requiring the immediate delivery of that child to the father, if he shall desire it.

The court holds that the statute imposing a penalty upon a telegraph company for failure to "faithfully and impartially" transmit a message, when applied to a case where a message to be delivered to a person in another State was never dispatched, is no encroachment upon the power given to Congress to regulate commerce between the States. This question was brought before the court in the case of Postal Telegraph Cable Company vs. Umstadter, from the Court of Law and Chancery of the city of Norfolk, in which J. M. Umstadter recovered a judgment for $100 against the telegraph company for not transmitting a message delivered to a messenger boy of the company, upon one of its blank forms containing the usual conditions, and to be transmitted to a person in the State of New York. Judge Buchanan writes the opinion of the court, affirming the judgment of the lower court.

Adams Ousted.

James H. Peabody yesterday won his contest for the office of Governor of Colorado, from which he retired on January 10 after serving a term of two years, but his victory was achieved only after he had given his pledge to resign and surrender the chair to Lieut-Gov. Jesse F. McDonald, republican. Governor Peabody took over the office of Governor from Adams yesterday evening.

The vote in joint convention of the General Assembly by which Gov. Alva Adams, democrat, was ousted and Gov. James H. Peabody, republican, installed was 51 to 41. Ten republicans voted with the democratic members for Adams. Peabody maintained that Adams was elected only by fraudulent ballots, cast for the most part in Denver.

Governor Adams, who had spent the day packing his effects, surrendered his office to Governor Peabody shortly after 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Scores of letters, telegrams and telephone messages had reached the executive chamber during the day urging Governor Adams to hold his seat by force, but he decided to ignore this advice. He said he felt outraged at the action of the General Assembly and expressed surprise that Mr. Peabody should become a party to what he termed a conspiracy to secure the office of Governor for a man who had no claim whatever to the place.

ANOTHER BATTLE RAGING.

Report That Japanese Have Cut Off Russian Retreat.

London, March 17.—A dispatch to the Evening Standard from its St. Petersburg correspondent says that a fierce battle is proceeding north of Tieling.

Paris, March 17.—The Petit Journal prints a dispatch from St. Petersburg, which says that General Kuropatkin lost eighty guns and 19,000 killed and wounded at Tieling.

London, March 17.—An unconfirmed report has been received here to the effect that the Japanese have succeeded in cutting off General Kuropatkin's retreat. Opinions are conflicting as to whether General Kuropatkin will continue a retreat steadily to the northward, or will attempt to effect a junction with the Russian forces at Vladivostok.

London, March 17.—A dispatch to the Reuter Telegram Company from General Oku's headquarters announces that the pursuit of the Russians is being kept up with the same vigor that has marked all the Japanese efforts to overtake the enemy.

London, March 17.—A dispatch to the Central News from St. Petersburg states that General Kuropatkin left Tieling on a special train Wednesday night bound for St. Petersburg.

St. Petersburg, March 17.—The official Messenger mentions General Kuropatkin's dismissial in a few words, without the slightest reference to his distinguished services, and this has caused much strong comment from the public. Public amazement is constantly growing at the curt dismissal given the former commander-in-chief. The magnitude of the difficulties of his task are generally recognized and this is responsible for the sentiment in his favor. General Linevitch is popular with the army, but it is admitted that he will not be able to change the course of the war materially.

With General Oku's Army, (undated.) via Fusan, March 15.—Field Marshal Oyama and his staff entered Mukden this afternoon by the south gate. Many troops are encamped near Mukden, and they lined the streets of the city displaying their tattered battle flags. The Chinese officials gave Marshal Oyama a warm welcome. Thousands of Chinese congregated in the streets. All the public buildings were decorated, and thousands of Japanese flags were displayed. Several thousands of dead were left on the battlefield about Mukden. Great fires have been started and the bodies are being cremated.

Tokio, March 17.—Details of the capture of Tieling by the Japanese are coming in slowly. Late dispatches say that the Japanese captured many prisoners when they took Tieling, and that the Russians destroyed vast quantities of stores before they evacuated the place.

London, March 17.—The prevailing opinion in military circles is that Russia has not bettered her position in the far East by the recall of General Kuropatkin. Competent critics do not believe that any other Russian general possesses General Kuropatkin's ability, and they consider that after his year's experience with Japanese methods, he is better fitted than any one else to continue to lead the Czar's troops. Throughout the war foreign military experts have consistently held Kuropatkin's generalship blameless for the Russian defeats, and have awarded him the highest praise for his ability in extricating the army from dangerous predicaments. The opinion prevails that he is being sacrificed for the sins of the bureaucracy. Through numerous conversations with Japanese diplomats during the course of the war, your correspondent knows that the Japanese hold General Kuropatkin in the greatest respect.

London, March 17.—The Evening Standard has received information that the representatives of the French Bankers have left St. Petersburg without concluding the loan which Russia has been soliciting.

New York Stock Market.

New York, March 17.—The tension in money was still the dominating influence, and many commission houses induced customers to reduce their lines of long stock as much as possible in anticipation of an unfavorable bank statement tomorrow. Stocks were sold by the large operators in London before the local market opened because of this fear and London houses in turn sold on a big scale during the first half hour. Prices in the general list declined moderately. Western houses have been calling stocks for two days, but the best information is that this selling has not been for the west, but for interests in this city that have been active on the bull side since the beginning of the year.

France and Venezuela.

Paris, March 17.—Delcasse, Minister of Foreign Affairs, announced today to the Council of Ministers that negotiations have been opened incident to settling the controversy between President Castro, of Venezuela, and the French Cable Company. Word was received early in the week that President Castro had ordered the Supreme Court to render judgment annulling the contract of the cable company and authorizing the seizure of the property. The exact reason for this action being taken has never been stated, but it is supposed it grew out of some alleged violation of neutrality. The company insists that it has observed the strictest neutrality, and has announced it intention to defend its interests.

Death of the "Wild Man of Borneo."

Waltham, Mass., March 17.—Henry W. Davis, one of the original "Wild men of Borneo," who toured the world with Barnum's circus for many years, died here last night of old age. He had been living with his twin brother, who toured the world with him. Davis was a Malay, and was less than three feet tall. He was found in Borneo more than forty years ago by H. A. Warner, the father of Hanford A. Warner, with whom Davis and his brother have been living. The twins wore long beards, which reached the ground, and were of such ferocious and uncanny appearance that they were dubbed the "Wild Men of Borneo" and as such toured over the world.

Fewer Gallons; Wears Longer.

Fewer gallons; takes less of Devoe Lead and Zinc than mixed paints. Wears longer; twice as long as lead and oil.

Attacked by a Mob

and beaten in a labor riot, until covered with sores, a Chicago street car conductor applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was soon sound and well. I use it in my family," writes G. J. Welch, of Tekonsha, Mich., "and find it perfect." Simply great for cuts and burns Only 25c at E. S. Leadeater & Sons' drug store.

Celebrating St. Patrick's Day.

New York, March 17.—The principal event in the celebration of St. Patrick's Day in this city will be the annual dinner of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, which will be held in Delmonico's this evening. President Roosevelt will be the guest of honor, and his hosts secured a special dispensation from the Pope to eat anything on the menu. This dispensation was necessary because the anniversary of the Saint's birthday falls this year not only in Lent, but on a Friday. President Roosevelt is an honorary member of the Friendly Sons, and George Washington was the only other President to enjoy that distinction. The dinner is to be the most elaborate the Friendly Sons have ever attempted. Delmonico's will be brilliantly illuminated with green lights, and the hall itself will be hung with Irish flags, and the stars and stripes. Thousands of shamrocks brought from Ireland will be used in the decorations. As usual the big picture of St. Patrick will hang over the chairman, and on either side of the picture will be medallions of Washington and Roosevelt. The traditional Limerick bacon and greens and other characteristic Irish dishes will be on the menu. In addition to Justice Fitzgerald's welcome and the response of the evening's guests there will be these toasts: "The Day We Celebrate," W. Bourke Cockran; "The Irish Revival," Justice William J. Gaynor; "The United States," Justice W. J. Keogh; "The State of New York," Governor Higgins; "The City of New York," Mayor McClellan. Archbishop Farley will say grace. After delivering his address at the Friendly Sons' banquet President Roosevelt will go to the Hotel Astor where he will be the guest of the Sons of the American Revolution at their dinner. In the annual parade, which will start at two o'clock this afternoon at Fifth avenue and Forty-third street, and disband at Sulzer's Park, 126th street and Second avenue, it is claimed that 60,000 Irishmen will be in line. The first regiment of Irish volunteers is to be reviewed at the Grand Central Palace by General Nelson A. Miles. The celebration of the saint's day will close in the evening by a ball at Madison Square Garden.

President Roosevelt arrived shortly before one o'clock today. The trip from Washington was without incident.

Miss Bowne Visits Cordova.

New Brunswick, N. J., March 17.—Miss Julia Bowne, who twice eloped with J. F. Cordova, former pastor of the Methodist Church, at South River, N. J., visited the jail here late last night, where her lover is confined awaiting sentence, having been convicted on charges of abandoning his family and of assaulting his wife. She was accompanied as far as the jail door by her uncle, George Seibert, with whom she is stopping. Miss Bowne told the sheriff that her father had consented to her seeing Cordova, and asked permission to converse with the prisoner through the bars of the door of his cell. The request was granted. The conversation between the lovers lasted fifteen minutes. They kissed each other through the bars and he held her hand while he talked with her. "They are going to send me to prison," said Cordova. "I will still be true," she replied. He told her his cuffs were dirty and he did not like to go to court wearing them in that condition. "Let me have them, dear," said Julia. "I will take them and have them done up at the laundry, and return them to you Saturday morning." Cordova took the cuffs off and handed them to Miss Bowne, leaving the gold links in the cuffs. She carried them under her arm, as she left the jail. It was said today that Miss Bowne might be in court when Cordova will be sentenced tomorrow, although Cordova does not want her present.

Decision Averse to Plaintiff.

Paris, March 27.—In the suit of Carrie Swayne Gardner against Frank Gardner, the millionaire turfman and mining speculator, the procurator today read the conclusions, stating that the couple were never legally married, and that the claim of the woman for damages is unsupported. It is also held that she has no right to bear Gardner's name. A verdict in accordance with these conclusions will be rendered within a forthnight. The suit against Gardner was based on the claim of Carrie Swayne Gardner that she was his first wife. Gardner, who formerly lived at San Francisco made a fortune in mining in Australia and later became very much interested in racing, establishing a large stable. In late years, he has made his headquarters largely in Paris and London where he has large financial interests. It is alleged that he lived with the woman, Carrie Swayne, for years and acknowledged her as his wife, but their union was not of the kind that the French courts recognize as legal, as the conclusion just announced shows. On February 3, 1903, Gardner was married in London to a beautiful French woman, Madam Brouillet. Carrie Swayne Gardner began her suit against him then to recover damages and prove her claim to his name.

Trouble Feared.

Westchester, Pa., March 17.—Shortly before midnight Sheriff Croswell received a phone message from Governor Pennypacker, stating that the Governor had been notified by the Italian consul in Philadelphia that a mob of Italians would invade the Chester county jail here during the night and lynch Riccardo Fortte, the suspect arrested yesterday charged with the diabolical murder at Howellville, of the De Lucca children. The Sheriff notified Chief of Police Jeffries and the latter called out his force of nine men and hurried them to the jail. Sheriff Crosswell next communicated with Captain Granville Bennett, of Company I. sixth regiment, N. G. P. and that officer called out Company 1. armed and equipped in full marching order. The guardsmen were kept in the armory all night, under arms. The expected lynching band did not appear however. The inquest in the case will be held this afternoon. Fortte, the prisoner, refuses to make a statement.

Philadelphia, March 17.—Gerelamo Naselli, Italian Consul in Philadelphia, stated this morning that he had no reason for sending his alarming message to the Governor, except rumors he had read in the newspapers concerning the public feeling against the suspect in the Westchester jail. He only smiled when told of the commotion his act had caused.

Carl Thomas, a buggy brakeman, was crushed to death at Frickville, Pa., today by being caught between timbers and a rush of coal.

Fifty-ninth Congress.

Washington, March 17.

SENATE.

Something of a sensation was occasioned in the Senate this morning when Senator Morgan, rising to a question of personal privilege, sent up to the clerks's desk and had read an article published in a local paper this morning purporting to give extracts from his speech in executive session yesterday afternoon. The article said that he had charged Wm. Nelson Cromwell, of New York, with being the prime mover in recent developements in Santo Domingo affairs, that his interference had prevented certain parties from obtaining concessions, and that it was his influence which caused President Morales to call upon the United States to take charge of the fiscal affairs of the Dominion Government.

At the conclusion of the reading Senator Morgan said that the question he raised was one involving the privilege of the United States Senate. He considered the article an inflamatory and outrageous reflection on his conduct. It was not within his power to say whether the publication was true or not, but the paper must have resorted to obtain information to one of two methods, either to a Senator or to some of the people who had access to the Senate chamber during executive sessions. The statement contained some that was false and some that was true. The proposition to discuss the treaty in open session having been voted down he was left without recourse, but it was unfortunate that Senators who felt themselves bound by honor and by the rules of the Senate to absolute secrecy regarding what occurred behind closed doors should be laid open to this kind of attack.

"I had not left my seat yesterday," said the Senator with indignation in his voice, "before a reporter came to me and asked me for a statement about the big imbrolio, or something of that sort which I had referred to during executive session. I told him that he had no right to ask any such thing. The man who would do that," concluded the Senator, "ought to be expelled from that gallery and never be permitted to take his seat there again."

The Senator said that no paper had a right to print statements as true, that it knew had been derived surreptitiously and corruptly as all statements regarding executive sessions must be derived.

Continuing, he said, he was convinced that something had been happening in connection with Santo Domingo, during the last two or three years which had not be made fully certain to the Senate or the people of the United States and he asked unanimous consent of the Senate for the immediate consideration of a resolution to authorize an investigation by special committee into the means by which the various protocols and agreements had been negotiated.

Before Senator Morgan had read more than a few lines of this resolution, Senator Cullom started to object, saying that while he fully agreed with what Senator Morgan had said regarding "this villainous lot of stuff which had been written and printed" regarding yesterday's executive session, he thought that the Senator's resolution pertained to executive business and should therefore be read behind closed doors. After some discussion on this subject, Mr. Morgan succeeded in reading the resolution through. Mr. Cullom then objected to its consideration and it went over till tomorrow.

An interesting incident occurred as a result of Senator Carmack's sending to the clerk's desk and having read a recent interview alleged to have been given by Congressman Hull, of Iowa, predicting trouble between the United States and Japan over the possession of the Philippines. Senator Carmack said that Mr. Hull's statement was corroborated by the testimony of naval officers regarding Japanese jealousy of our interference in Asiatic affairs.

Mr. Lodge sent up and had read an interview with the Japanese minister, Mr. Takahira, published today, denying that Japan was drunk with success and declaring that she welcomed the United States into Asia.

Mr. Spooner addressing the democratic side said: "However we may have differed about the wisdom of the acquisition of the Philippines and as to policy to be pursued there, there is one proposition on which we will not differ and that is, that there is no government in the world which can take from the United States in the east or in the west anything which belongs to us."

The Senate went into executive session at 1:30 after referring to the foreign relations committee the resolution of Mr. Teller, introduced yesterday requesting the State Department to furnish copies of the instructions sent to our representatives in Santo Domingo regarding the recent negotiations.

Suicide of a Striker.

New York, March 17.—Unable to obtain his old position on the Manhattan Elevated Railroad, Thomas Griffin, a striking motorman, killed himself at his home in Jersey City. His body was found this morning in the cellar. Griffin became despondent when the strike was lost, and when he sought to get his place back he was turned away.

Murderer Hanged.

Norfolk, Va., March 17.—James Lineus who murdered his wife and ten year old adopted son, on Christmas Day, was hanged at East Bedford, Virginia, today. After having committed the murders, he attempted to burn the bodies by setting fire to the house.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A Destructive Fire.

To draw the fire out of a burn, or heal a cut without leaving a scar, use Dewitt's Witch Hazel Salve. A specific for piles. Get the genuine. J. L. Tucker, editor of the Harmonizer, Centre, Ala., writes: "I have used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve in my family for piles, cuts and burns. It is the best salve on the market. Every family should keep it on hand." Sold by all druggists.

DIED.

Suddenly, today, MARY H. ATKINSON, widow of J. W. Atkinson. Funeral from the residence of her son, R. H. Atkinson, 917 Cameron street, tomorrow (Saturday) evening at 5 o'clock. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

At her home, on south Patrick street, on Thursday morning, March 16th, at 11:20 o'clock, Miss CATHERINE GRILLBORTZER, in the 60th year of her age. Funeral from Grace Church tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Interment private.

NOTICE.—We, the Hodcarriers' Union, No. 3, of Alexandria, Va., beg leave to notify you, the boss bricklayers of Alexandria, of our request, which, if agreeable to you, will take place the first of May, 1905, and which is that the wages of hodcarriers be $2.25 per day. 1t

Alexandria Gazette.

FRIDAY EVENING, MAR. 17, 1905.

Local Matters.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:10 and sets 6:10. High water at 4:46 a. m. and 5:16 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section partly cloudy tonight. Saturday increasing cloudiness; light southerly winds.

Washington Sewage.

A committee of Alexandrians—officials and others—went to Washington today and appeared before the Commissioners of the District of Columbia and protested against locating the outlet of a big sewer on the District side of the Potomac about two miles above Alexandria. Officials of this city have viewed with alarm the proposition of the District Commissioners to place the outlet to the sewer so near Alexandria, and have maintained that annoyance if not a menace to the health of the city would be inevitable should the plan be carried out. Their protests, however, have not been favorably considered, and it has been evident that there is a purpose to place the outlet at the point at first designated notwithstanding the city's objections; hence the appearance today of the Alexandria committee.

The Alexandria committee which appeared before the commissioners today consisted of Mayor Paff, Corporation Attorney Boothe, City Engineer Dunn, Health Officer Gorman, the Presidents of the two boards of Council (Messrs. Sweeney and Snowden respectively), Alderman Fisher, Councilman Leadbeater and Clerk of Council Stansbury.

This delegation was headed by Representative Rixey, and at the Commissioner's office they were joined by Gunner Smith, of the government arsenal, and Mr. Victor Beyer, near whose land the outlet of the sewer will be constructed.

The committee was most courteously received by Commissioners Macfarland, West and Biddle and the visitors were introduced by Mr. Rixey.

Mr. Boothe subsequently made a clear statement of the case in opposition to the location of the purposed sewer outlet and showed by the government reports that the emptying into the river so near the city of such a volume of sewage would be detrimental.

Mr. Paff also opposed the location of the sewer at the purposed site, saying that if the people of Washington wanted it located five miles from that city, the people of this city should naturally want it placed five miles below Alexandria.

Dr. Gorman said the emptying of so much sewage just above Alexandria was inadvisable.

Gunner Smith also opposed the sewer being placed so near the magazine.

Mr. Rixey in a strong speech opposed the measure and called the attention of the commissioners to the fact that they should look to the future and see that the Washington sewage is carried far enough down the river to prevent any one from being injured. He called attention to the friendly relations existing between Washington and Alexandria, and hoped that nothing would be done to disrupt these relations. He said he felt sure that the dumping of so much sewage just above Alexandria would prove a nuisance to the health of the people of this city.

At the conclusion of Mr. Rixey's remarks the commissioners assured the committee that it was not their intention to injure Alexandria in any way, and that they would do all in their power to prevent such injury. They said, however, that the plans had been prepared by competent engineers and approved by Congress, and in a measure they could do nothing in the matter.

Col. Biddle said the sewer would probably be completed in a year from next summer, and that its completion under the present plans would not interfere with its extension at any future date.

Channel Dredging Begins.

Yesterday the Maryland Dredging and Contracting Company started from Baltimore to Washington the large dredge Kennedy, with two six-pocket scows, sent in tow of the tugs Pickwick and Sarah. All went out of the harbor with colors flying and answering salutes to passing tugs that bade them good-by. The Kennedy and her convoy will continue a government contract, which will be to remove obstructions to navigation in the Potomac from Washington to the Kettle Bottoms. The dredge Chesapeake, which has wintered in Washington, is now deepening the channel into Nomini creek, on the Virginia shore. On next Monday the dredge Patapsco will be placed on the finishing touches to the Spring Garden channel, which was not fully completed when winter set in.

St. Patrick's Day.

St. Patrick's Day dawned mild and springlike, in marked contrast to the blusterous conditions which sometimes characterize it. The temperature was mild and meteorological conditions were generally favorable. As had been anticipated, several men of straw dangled, like Mahomet's coffin, in the space between the celestial and the terrestial. Some for whom the effigies were intended as reminders hailed their appearance with pleasantry; others, however, were not disposed to take the familiarity in the spirit for which it was intended.

Services appropriate to the day were held at an early hour in St. Mary's Church. They were interesting and well attended.

The Fishery.

Fishtown was manifesting decided signs of life again this morning. The platforms were being repaired, barrels received and the dredge was busily at work deepening the dock. There have been no receipts as yet. Advices from the lower river are to the effect that a few pioneer herring have arrived in the Potomac, but no shad have been caught, although some have been netted in the bay. A haul was made at Windmill Point yesterday when a fine lot of rock and perch were landed. They were forwarded to northern markets where they bring fancy prices.

To Be Preserved.

The make-up of one of the figures which was found in the telegraph wires in front of the abode of a citizen at an early hour this morning bore evidence of considerable care upon the part of those who prepared it. The effigy resembled an old man and was attired in bottle-green. Amateur photographers made snap shots at it and the pictures are to be preserved.

The W. C. T. U.

The parlors of the Children's Home were crowded to overflowing last night at the temperance prayer meeting. Rev. Mr Scull, pastor of the Free Methodist Church, delivered an address on the "One Essential of Life."

Mr. Lewis H. Machen, of this city, will deliver an address to the boys of the W. C. T. U. night school at the parish school tonight.

Rev. J. F. B. Tinling will arrive in this city tomorrow. The Allison W. C. T. U. will tender him a reception in the parlors of the Children's Home from 5 to 7 o'clock. The honorary members and the invited guests are urged to be present and help the ladies make the occasion one long to be remembered.

Personal.

Mr. M. Rosenfeld and wife are in New York.

Mrs. J. E. Shinn, who has been confined to her home by sickness for some time past, is able to be out again.

Among those present at the reception tendered Rev. Charles E. Guthrie and wife by Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Clark, in Baltimore, last night, were the Misses Lunt, of this city.

Mrs. C. W. O'Meara, who has been seriously ill at her home on south Washington street, is convalescing.

Mass Meeting.

Arrangements are being made by the officials of the Alexandria trades council for holding a mass meeting in the Opera House tomorrow, Saturday, night in the interests of organized labor. Those having the matter in charge have the assurance of Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor; Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor; James O'Connell, president of the International Association of Machinists, and other well known labor leaders that they will be present and address the meeting.

To Be Remodeled.

Workmen are now engaged in remodeling Mr. C. H. Zimmerman's restaurant and hostelry in Market alley. This well known public house has been a familiar landmark to several generations. In the olden time, Alexandrians, like the ancients, gathered daily at the agora, and our market house was the busiest place in the city, especially on Saturday evenings. But times have changed, although the ancient inn referred to above is still patronized by many, among whom are tourists, who while here visit it while inspecting other historical spots.

Jeffersonian Club.

The Jeffersonian Political Club, of Alexandria county, will hold a special meeting Monday evening next at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of initiating several new members and to transact business of importance. The members will be addressed by their president, Mr. Clarke, on the right of suffrage. This club, which was organized last November with a membership of eighteen, has steadily grown until it now numbers thirty-six strong.

Banquet Tonight.

Alexandria Division, Ancient Order of Hibernians, will tonight celebrate St. Patrick's Day with a banquet at the Young Men's Sodality Lyceum. The affair will be an informal one and will be conducted by the ladies' auxiliary of that order. The celebration will not begin until after the regular lenten services at St. Mary's Church.

Police Court.

There were but two cases on the docket of the Police Court this morning—two men who had been picked up on the streets drunk. One was in a condition to face the bar when court convened, and he was dismissed with an admonition. The other was dismembered to such a degree that his case was continued.

Potomac Fishing.

Messrs. Berrey & Morton, fishing at Marlboro, have made three hauls with their big seine. At the first haul they caught 1,300 pounds of rock and perch. From the three hauls they have shipped to Washington fish valued at over $600. In the lot was one rock fish which weighed 36 pounds.—[Fredericksburg Star.

Will Continue on Line

The statement in the Gazette yesterday to the effect that the steamer Bartholdi would be withdrawn from the Washington navy yard route and another boat substituted was, it seems, incorrect. Capt. Davis says he intends to continue the Batholdi on the line.

Sudden Death.

Mrs. Mary H. Atkinson, widow of James W. Atkinson and mother of Captain R. H. Atkinson, died suddenly this afternoon. She was an old and esteemed resident, and had a large circle of relatives and friends.

[COMMUNICATED.

A Query

According to the report of the proceedings of the Police Commission published in yesterday's Gazette two pistols were recently stolen from the station house. Could not some one be induced to steal a policeman or two?

AWAKE.

Got Off Cheap.

He may well think he has got off cheap, who, after having contracted constipation or indigestion is still able to perfectly restore his health. Nothing will do this but Dr. King's New Life Pills. A quick, pleasant and certain cure for headache, constipation, etc. 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store; guaranteed.

A Favorite Remedy for Babies.

Its pleasant taste and prompt cures have made Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a favorite with the mothers of small children. It quickly cures their coughs and colds and prevents any danger of pneumonia or other serious consequences. It not only cures croup, but when given as soon as the croupy cough appears will prevent the attack. For sale by Gibson and Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

By the Tonic Route.

The pills that act as a tonic and not as a drastic purge are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They cure Headache, Constipation Biliousness, etc. Early Risers are small, easy to take and easy to act—a safe pill. Mack Hamilton, hotel clerk at Valley City, N. D., says: "Two bottle cured me of chronic constipation." Sold by all druggists.

ITS FINE FOR FLOORS.—Our French Wax Finish Floor Oil.

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Cor. Prince and Fairfax Streets.

ROEVER'S BLUE NAPTHA SOAP for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mr. F. P. Reid has sold to Mr. C. C. Carlin a lot on the north side of Cameron street, west of Pitt.

In the Corporation Court today Pearl A. Brown was granted a divorce from Edward N. Brown.

The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad transfer service is again being conducted by night and day crews.

Hannah Brown, an aged colored woman, died at her home on north St. Asaph street this morning.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Vernon L. Thomas and Cassie V. Proctor, of Falls Church.

Mr. T. F. Dyson, assistant superintendent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company in this city, last night entertained his staff at dinner at Bohrans's Cafe. Superintendent Duncom, of this district, was present and made an interesting and instructive address to the agents after the dinner.

While preparations for the improvements at Mr. C. H. Zimmerman's restaurant were in progress yesterday the paid gas metre was temporarily exposed, and while in this condition it was robbed of a portion of its contents.

Fried clams, 30c per dozen. Soup every day. Chas. H. Zimmerman, Market Space.
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TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The miners and operators of the Central Pennsylvania field are deadlocked over the wage scale. The joint scale committee held two hours session this morning, but were unable to reach a compromise and took a recess at noon.

Robert Bowles, colored, who killed Chesapeake & Ohio fireman John Huff, at Clifton Forge, last March, was hanged at Covington, Va., today. He was dead in six minutes. He kept his nerve to the end, and went to the scaffold singing.

The Birmingham, Eng., Post says that Russia is about to withdraw the special privileges which has been accorded the French correspondents in the far East. This is regarded as the first sign of weakening of the alliance between France and Russia.

The jury in the case against Henry E. Simmons, of Summit, N. J., charged with embezzling about $12,000 from the estate of Charles Hawkins, of Danielson, of which he was executor, found Simmons guilty in six counts last night. The maximum penalty is ten years and a $1,000 fine on each count.

Mysterious Death.

A young woman was apparently murdered some time Wednesday night in a hotel at Newark, N. J., which had its license revoked a week ago, but which was still doing business because the limit of license had not expired. The woman is supposed to have been choked to death by a male companion, who left the hotel after locking the door behind him. No one saw him leave.

The pair engaged a room at the hotel for twenty-four hours on Wednesday night and registered as D. Edwards and wife. The man started to write Trenton after the name, but scrawled over it, so that it is illegible.

The man left the hotel about 10 o'clock, but returned in a few minutes with a package which he said contained headache powders. Nothing further was heard of the pair until the twenty-four hours had expired. A brother of the proprietor of the hotel, receiving no response to a knock, forced an entrance through a window.

The woman lay dead on the bed, fully attired, except for hat and coat. She lay face upward, and there was a pillow across her face. A mark was found on the left side of the throat, which appears to have been made by a finger or thumb.

Both the man and woman were well dressed. In the room was found a handkerchief with the letter "C" embroidered in the coroner. A pin which the woman wore bore the letters "M. D." Her shoes had the trade-mark of a Jersey City dealer.

The county physician viewed the body and refused to commit himself, beyond saying it appeared to be a case warranting full police investigation. The police report makes the woman twenty-two or twenty-three years of age.

Jersey City, N. J., March 17.—Chief Murphy of this city, announces that the young woman who was murdered in a Newark Hotel; and whose body was discovered last night, was Mamie Dennis, of No. 139 Hopkins avenue, Jersey City. The girl has been missing from her home since Wednesday.

ANOTHER DISPATCH.

Newark, N. J., March 17.—The identity of the young girl who went to Washington Hotel, in Newark, N. J., with a young man, Wednesday, and whose body was found last night, in such condition as to make the police believe that she had been strangled, was established today by the Jersey City police. She was Mamie Dennis, aged 23, of No. 139 Hopkins avenue, Jersey City heights. The police say that within a few hours they will have the man who was with her. Mamie Dennis is known to have had an admirer who answers in a general way to the description given of the man who left her in the hotel. The police are concealing this man's name until they find him. Chief of Detectives Cosgrove's men today arrested Theodore and Albert Young, brothers of Mrs. Sarah Young, proprietress of the Washington Hotel, and held them as witnesses. The arrests were due to discovery made in going over the hotel register.

Later.—The young man in connection with the mysterious death of Mamie Dennis is said by the police to be Charles Silverdore.

Jersey City, N. J., March 17.—Chief Murphy stated this afternoon that, in his opinion, the girl died from natural causes, as her family told him that she had been suffering with heart disease.

Hypnotism for Rheumatism.

Hypnotism as a cure for rheumatism has been brought to the attention of the University of Chicago medical professors by the discoveries and demonstrations of Otto W. Greenberg, a young medical student, who claims to be able to cure the most chronic case of the ailment by hypnotic power. Young Greenberg's theory was given a trial in a "physiology" class conducted by Prof. Anton J. Carlson. A helpless cripple from the Home for Incurables was brought to the classroom on a strether and thrown into the hypnotic state by Greenberg. When under the mental influence of the operator the man was told he was to have the use of his limbs. When he was released he was able to move his lower limbs, a feat which he had not accomplished for a long time before.

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A brand-new creation and designed particularly for wear with spring suits and dresses. Made of black mercerized satine in the new sunburst style—namely: 25-inch deep accordion pleated flounce, edged with small ruffle and finished with a double row of straps. They fit perfectly over the hips. Lengths 38, 40 and 42. The price should be $1.69—but for one day you may choose from them at

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

Constitutional Survivors.

Henry C. Stuart, of Russell was yesterday elected president; Alexander Hamilton, of Petersburg, vice president, and J. Thompson Brown, of Bedford, secretary, of the survivors of the convention which drafted the constitution under which Virginia is now living. The body met in Richmond yesterday about sixty-five strong. Distinguished members not present were the president, Hon. John Goode, who wrote from Washington that his health would not permit him to attend, and Senator John W. Daniel, who is busy with the Senate's extra session.

A banquet, at which 150 members and guests were present, was held last night in the Masonic Temple. Toasts were responded to by Henry Stuart, Gov. Montague, A. P. Thom, Mayor McCarthy, Attorney General Anderson, R. Walton Moore, Joseph Bryan, Judge Berryman Green, A. Caperton Braxton, Judge William Gordon Robertson, and Charles V. Meredith.

Rich Women Caught at Roulette Tables.

The police on Wednesday raided a pool-room and gambling house in Forty-second street, New York, which they declared was patronized almost exclusively by wives of wealthy New Yorkers. The evidence on which the place was raided and the alleged proprietor, Frederick Bush, arrested, was obtained by a woman detective. The alleged poolroom was located in a fashionable apartment house. The policemen had to force two doors to reach the room. Their entrance was followed by a scene of wild excitement, the women, most of whom were gathered around a roulette table, screaming and attempting to escape by the window and doors. After giving their names and addresses, the women were allowed to go, but they had to force their way through the crowd that had gathered to their private carriages and automobiles, which were waiting around the corner.

Wholesale Prices of Produce.

Flour Extra	4 88	a	5 00
Family	5 65	a	5 75
Fancy brands	6 15	a	6 75
Wheat, longberry	1 13	a	1 14
Mixed	1 12	a	1 13
Fultz	1 12	a	1 13
Damp and tough	0 80	a	0 85
Corn, white	0 56	a	0 58
Mixed	0 55	a	0 56
Yellow	0 53	a	0 55
Corn Meal	0 67	a	0 70
Rye	0 56	a	0 60
Oats, mixed, new	0 38	a	0 42
White, new	0 40	a	0 45
Elgin Print Butter	0 32	a	0 35
Butter, Virginia, packed	0 22	a	0 25
Choice Virginia	0 32	a	0 35
Common to middling	0 16	a	0 20
Eggs	0 22	a	0 23
Live Chickens [hens]	0 13	a	0 14
Chickens	0 14	a	0 15
Dressed Turkeys	0 15	a	0 18
Dressed Hogs—Large	0 06	a	0 07
Small	0 06½	a	0 07
Potatoes, per bu	0 55	a	0 60
Sweet Potatoes	3 00	a	3 25
Yams	1 50	a	2 50
Onions, per bushel	1 20	a	1 25
Dried Cherries	0 14	a	0 15
Dried Apples	0 03	a	0 04
Apples, per bbl	2 25	a	2 50
Dried Peaches, pealed	0 10½	a	0 11
Bacon, country hams	0 10½	a	0 11½
Best sugar-cured hams	0 10½	a	0 11½
Butchers' hams	0 10½	a	0 11½
Breakfast Bacon	0 10½	a	0 11
Sugar-cured shoulders	0 07½	a	0 08
Bulk shoulders	0 08	a	0 08½
Dry Salt sides	0 08	a	0 08½
Fat backs	0 06½	a	0 07
Bellies	0 07½	a	0 08
Smoked shoulders	0 09	a	0 10
Smoked sides	0 08½	a	0 09
Veal Calves	0 06	a	0 07
Lambs	0 06	a	0 06½
Lard	0 07½	a	0 08½
Smoked Beef	0 14	a	0 18½
Sugars—Brown	5 39	a	5 50
Off A	5 80	a	5 90
Conf. standard	6 00	a	6 10
Granulated	6 05	a	6 20
Coffees—Rio	0 10½	a	0 14
LaGuayra	0 15	a	0 16
Java	0 18	a	0 26
Molassas B. S	0 9	a	0 14
C. B	0 17	a	0 22
New Orleans	0 20	a	0 45
Sugar Syrups	0 16	a	0 28
Porto Rico	0 18	a	0 28
Salt—G. A	0 55	a	0 85
Fine	0 75	a	1 15
Turk's Island	1 00	a	1 00
Wool—long, unwashed	0 19	a	0 21
Washed	0 24	a	0 26
Merino, unwashed	0 17	a	0 19
Do. washed	0 22	a	0 24
Herring, Eastern per bbl	6 50	a	7 00
Potomac No 1	2 75	a	3 00
Potomac family roe	4 00	a	4 50
Do. half barrel	2 00	a	2 25
Potomac Shad	11 00	a	12 00
Mackerel, small, per bbl	13 00	a	14 00
No. 3 medium	13 00	a	13 50
No. 2	15 00	a	16 00
Plaster, ground, per ton	4 50	a	5 00
Ground in bags	5 00	a	5 50
Lump	3 50	a	3 75
Clover Seed	6 50	a	7 55
Timothy	2 25	a	2 40
Hay	16 00	a	18 00
Cut do	13 00	a	15 00

NOTICE.

I will have small change at my store, on King street, on Saturday morning between 10 and 12 o'clock, for the convenience of the public.

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FOR SALE OR RENT.—TWO-STORY FRAME HOUSE, 6 rooms and bath, newly papered and painted; No. 1323 Queen street, next house to corner of West street. Inquire for particulars at 313 King street.
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FINANCIAL.

[No. 7093.]

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

ALEXANDRIA NATIONAL BANK

AT ALEXANDRIA, VA.,

At the close of business March 14, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		238,897 75
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		593 90
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		100,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		5,345 00
Bonds, securities, etc		7,790 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		31,475 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		6,365 48
Due from State Banks and Bankers		1,158 14
Due from approved reserve agents		36,918 03
Checks and other cash items		4,508 00
Notes of other National Banks		110 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		132 65
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:		
Specie	9,830 00	
Legal-tender notes	4,705 00	
		14,535 00
Redemption fund with U. S. (5 per cent of circulation)		1,000 00
Total		$448,828 95

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	4,843 70
National Bank notes outstanding	100,000 00
Due to other National Banks	11,464 00
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	2,200 00
Individual deposits subject to check	192,380 60
Demand certificates of deposit	525 00
Certified checks	368 75
Cashier's checks outstanding	46 90
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit	30,000 00
Liabilities other than those above stated	7,000 00
Total	$448,828 95

State of Virginia, City of Alexandria, ss:

I, T. C. Smith, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

T. C. SMITH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March, 1905.

R. D. BRUMBACK, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

W. B. SMOOT,
JOHN A. MARSHALL,
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500 Cups and Saucers at 5c
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For those who want to get the New York news and news of things the world over and don't want to spend the money or time in buying and reading a meropolitan paper seven days in the week The Tri-Weekly Tribune fills the bill. It is issued on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of every week. Price, $1.50 a year. For a free sample copy send a postal card to The New York Tribune, New York.

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If you never examined The Tribune Almanac just invest a quarter for once, and see how well pleased you'll be. The 1905 one will be on sale January 1, and may be had from your newsdealer, through your local paper or direct from The Tribune office, New York.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Boys' New Spring Clothing.

Special attention is called to the following items, representing, as they do, very unusual values:

Boys' All-wool Suits of fancy mixtures; extra pair of pants with each suit; sizes 8 to 16

Special Price, $4.50 Each.

Little Boys' Reefers, in golf red, navy blue and tan; elegant quality material; well made and well finished; sizes 2½ to 12.

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Boys' Tan Covert Cloth Top Coats, strictly all wool, cut in the very latest style, with very broad shoulder effect and full skirt; rich shade of tan; sizes 8 to 17.

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Third floor, Tenth st.

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We call attention to four special lots of Girls' New White Lawn Dresses, which represent very much better values than we will be able to offer later in the season:

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Girls' White India Linon Dresses, with round yoke of tucks and insertion, finished with lace-edged ruffle; skirt made full, with deep hem; sizes 4 to 14.

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At $1.50.

Girls' White India Linon Dresses, made with full waist and trimmed with cluster of small tucks; full sleeves; turn-over collar and cuffs of embroidery; sizes 4 to 14.

At $1.50.

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Finest French Peas, 20c;

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We are showing a large shipment of the new spring Manhattan Shirts for men, in plain white and neat fancy effects. Both with separate cuffs or cuffs attached as desired. The quality and styles and workmanship of the Manhattan Shirts are all so well known by the well-dressed man that it is unnecessary for us to dwell on this point, but to say they are prettier and handsomer than ever and can only be had of us in Alexandria.

Your Choice $1.50 and $2 Each.

Our One Dollar Negligee Shirt.

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Your Choice, $1 Each.

MEN'S MEDIUM-WEIGHT UNDERWEAR.

We are showing the right kind of Men's Medium Weight Underwear, just the proper weight for early spring wear. All sizes, both in gray or white, at the uniform price of

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Men's New Neckwear.

All the latest effects in Men's New Spring Neckwear from the best New York makers. Quality and styles guaranteed correct. Your choice,

Each 25c, 50c and 75c.

Also showing new and varied assortments of Men's Collars in "quarter" sizes; Men's Muslin Night Robes, Men's Summer Pajamas, Men's Dress Gloves and Shirts, New Hosiery, New Fancy and Plain White Vests, Dress Shields, Linen Handkerchiefs, &c., &c.

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SUN-DRIED APPLES just received by J. C. MILBURN.

AUCTION SALES.

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST from Samuel B. Fisher and wife recorded in deed book 38, page 345, one of the land records of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, the undersigned trustees named in said deed, by direction of the Board of Directors of the Mechanics' Building Association, No. 5, of Alexandria, Virginia, the beneficiary under said deed; default having been made in the provisions of said deed, will offer for sale at public auction at the front of the Market Building on Royal street, in said city, on

SATURDAY,
the 25th day of March, 1905,
at about 12 o'clock noon, the following described property: ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND WITH THE IMPROVEMENTS THEREON in the city of Alexandria, beginning at the intersection of the north side of Queen street with the west side of Pitt street and running thence west on Queen street 57 feet 3 inches, more or less; thence north 51 feet 6 inches; thence west 19 feet, 11 inches; thence north 43 feet 1 inch; thence west 47 feet 7 inches; thence north 82 feet; thence east 65 feet 9 inches; thence south 70 feet, 1 inch; thence east 59 feet to Pitt street; thence south with said street 106 feet 6 inches to the beginning, together with all appurtenances to the same belonging.

Terms of Sale—Cash.

LEOPOLD RUBEN,
J. D. STANTON,
C. B. MARSHALL, } Trustees.

John M. Johnson, Attorney, 111 south Fairfax street. mar3 td

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST from James T. Luckett and wife recorded in deed book No. 27, page 12, one of the land records of the city of Alexandria, the undersigned surviving trustees, named in said deed, by direction of the Board of Directors of the Mechanics' Building Association, No. 2, of Alexandria, Virginia, the beneficiary under said deed, default having been made in the provisions of said deed, will offer for sale at public auction at the front of the Market Building on Royal street, in said city, on

SATURDAY,
the 25th day of March, 1905,
at about 12 o'clock m., the following described property: ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND WITH THE IMPROVEMENTS THEREON in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, beginning on the east side of Patrick street between King and Prince streets at the north line of the property allotted to Margaret B. Massey by deed recorded in Liber No. 3, page 303, one of the land records of the said city, and running thence north on Patrick street about 62 feet to an alley; thence east on said alley 114 feet to a court; thence south on said court to the said north line about 62 feet; thence with said line west 115 feet to the beginning, with all appurtenances

Terms of Sale—Cash

This is one of the most desirable properties in the city.

J. D. H. LUNT, } Surviving
M. B. HARLOW, } Trustees.

John M. Johnson, Attorney, 111 south Fairfax street, mar3 td

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST from A. A. Warfield and wife recorded in deed book 22, page 587, one of the land records of the city of Alexandria, the undersigned surviving trustees named in said deed, by direction of the Board of Directors of the Mechanics' Building Association, No. 2, of Alexandria, Va., the beneficiary under said deed, default having been made in the provisions of said deed, will offer for sale at public auction at the front of the Market Building on Royal street, in said city, on

SATURDAY,
the 25th day of March, 1905,
at about 12 o'clock noon, the following described property: ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND WITH THE BUILDINGS THEREON in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, beginning on the east side of Fayette street 150 feet 3 inches north of Duke street and running thence north on Fayette street 26 feet 4 inches to the middle of the square; thence east 123 feet 5 inches, thence south 26 feet 4 inches, thence west 123 feet 5 inches to the beginning, with all appurtenances.

Terms of Sale—Cash.

J. D. H. LUNT, } Surviving
M. B. HARLOW, } Trustees.

John M. Johnson, Attorney, 111 south Fairfax street. mar3 td

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST from Ralph Singleton recorded in deed book No. 41, page 110, one of the land records of Alexandria city, the undersigned trustees named in said deed by direction of the Board of Directors of the Mechanics' Building Association, No. 2, of Alexandria, Virginia, the beneficiary under said deed, default having been made in the provisions of the said deed will offer for sale at public auction at the front entrance of the Market Building on Royal street, in said city, on

SATURDAY,
the 25th day of March, 1905,
at about 12 o'clock noon, the following described property: ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND WITH THE IMPROVEMENTS THEREON in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, beginning on the west side of Patrick street, 51 feet 7 inches south of Cameron street, and running thence south 15 feet, more or less; thence west parallel with Cameron street 75 feet 5 inches; thence north parallel with Patrick street 15 feet, more or less; thence east 75 feet 5 inches to the beginning and with all appurtenances.

Terms of Sale: Cash.

L. RUBEN,
C. B. MARSHALL, } Trustees.
J. D. STANTON,

John M. Johnson, Attorney, 111 south Fairfax street. mar3 td

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST from Norton & Brent, recorded in deed book No. 26, page 69, one of the land records of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, the undersigned surviving trustees named in said deed, by direction of the Board of Directors of the Mechanics' Building Association No. 2, of Alexandria, Virginia, the beneficiary under said deed, default having been made in the provisions of said deed, will offer for sale at public auction at the front of the front entrance of the Market building, on Royal street, in said city, on

SATURDAY,
the 25th day of March, 1905,
at about 12 o'clock noon, the following described property: ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND WITH THE IMPROVEMENTS THEREON in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, beginning on the east side of Henry street about 165 feet, north of Queen street, and running thence north on Henry street 34 feet, thence east parallel with Queen street 115 feet, 11 inches to an alley; thence south parallel with Henry street 34 feet, and thence west parallel with Queen street 115 feet, 11 inches to the point of beginning, together with all appurtenances to the same belonging

Terms of Sale: Cash.

J. D. H. LUNT, } Surviving
M. B. HARLOW, } Trustees.

John M. Jonson, Attorney, 111 south Fairfax street. mar3 td

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST from Horace J. Gambrill and wife, recorded in deed book L, No. 4, page 357, one of the land records of the county of Alexandria, Virginia, the undersigned, surviving trustees named in said deed, by direction of the Board of Directors of the Mechanics' Building Association No. 2, of Alexandria, Virginia, the beneficiary under said deed, default having been made in the provisions of said deed, will offer for sale at public auction in front of the property or on the property described in said deed and below, on

SATURDAY,
the 25th day of March, 1905,
at about 3:30 o'clock p. m., the following described property: All those TWO LOTS OF GROUND WITH THE IMPROVEMENTS THEREON in Northwest Alexandria (Braddock Heights), Alexandria, Virginia, known as lots Nos. 19 and 20 in square No. 25 upon the subdivision of the property of the Northwest Alexandria Improvement Company, the plat of said subdivision being recorded in liber M, No. 4, folio 92, one of the land records of said county, together with all appurtenances.

Terms of Sale: Cash.

This is one of the most desirable properties within a mile of the city. A nice country home.

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M. B. HARLOW, } Trustees.

John M. Johnson, Attorney, 111 south Fairfax street. mar3 td

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GALVANIZED TUBS, BUCKETS and OIL CANS just received by
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For sale and recommended by
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AUCTION SALES.

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

WE HAVE BEEN DIRECTED BY THE owner of HOUSE No. 207 south Peyton street containg five rooms with good lot, to sell same at public auction on

SATURDAY, MARCH 25, 1905,
at 12 m., in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building. Terms—Cash. All conveyancing at cost of purchaser.

M. B. HARLOW & CO., Agents.
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PUBLIC AUCTION.—I will sell for the owners at auction on the

8TH DAY OF APRIL, 1905,

at 12 o'clock, in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market building, the OLD COURT HOUSE BUILDING, including four nice building lots. These are the best located building lots in the city.

mar13 td R. F. KNOX, Auctioneer.

By S. H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST from Parris Simms recorded in deed book No. 20, page 426, a land record of Alexandria city, the undersigned surviving trustees named in said deed, by direction of the Board of Directors of the Mechanics' Building Association, No. 2, of Alexandria, Virginia, the beneficiary under said deed, default having been made in the provisions of said deed, will offer for sale at public auction in front of the Market Building on Royal street, in the said city, on

SATURDAY,
the 25th day of March, 1905,
at about 12 o'clock noon, the following property: ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND in said city in the square bounded by Columbus, Prince, King and Alfred streets, beginning at a point where the north line of alley running east and west intersects with another alley, about 113 feet east of Alfred street and about 100 feet 7 inches north of Prince street; running thence west on said alley 40 feet; thence north 22 feet; thence east 40 feet to another alley, and thence south to the beginning, together with all appurtenances.

Terms of Sale—Cash.

J. D. H. LUNT, } Surviving
M. B. HARLOW, } Trustees.

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By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST from Richard P. Kuhn and Buena Vista Kuhn, his wife, recorded in deed book No. 49, page 64, of the land records of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, the undersigned trustee named in said deed, by direction of Ella L. Broders, the beneficiary under the said deed, default having been made in the provisions of said deed, will offer for sale at public auction at the front of the Market Building on Royal street, in said city, on

TUESDAY,
the 28th day of March,
at about 12 o'clock noon, the following described property: Beginning on the east side of Fayette street one hundred and thirty feet one inch north of King street, and running thence north on Fayette street thenty-three feet five inches; thence east parallel to King street one hundred and twenty-three feet five inches; thence south parallel to Fayette street twenty-three feet five inches, and thence west in a direct line one hundred and twenty-three feet five inches to the beginning, with all appurtenances.

Terms of Sale—Cash.

WALTER U. VARNEY, Trustee.

Howard W. Smith, Attorney, 117 north Fairfax street. mar15 is

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF IMPROVED REAL ESTATE located on the north side of Prince street between Patrick and Alfred streets, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia.

By virtue of a decree entered in the chancery suit of Samuel H. Lunt, Administrator, d. b. n. c. t. a. of I. C. O'Neal, deceased, against Margaret E. O'Neil et al, pending in the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction in front of the Market Building, Royal street, Alexandria, Virginia, on

SATURDAY,
the 8th day of April, 1905,
at about 12 o'clock m, the following described real estate: ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND WITH THE IMPROVEMENTS THEREON beginning on the north side of Prince street 100 feet 2½ inches, more or less, east of Patrick street; running thence east on Prince street 19 feet 2½ inches; thence north parallel with Patrick street 100 feet to an alley 15 feet wide; thence west on said alley 19 feet 2½ inches, and thence south 100 feet to the point of beginning, with the right of way over said alley, and all appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Terms of Sale—Cash.

JOHN M. JOHNSON,
Commissioner of Sale.

This is to certify that John M. Johnson, Commissoner of Sale in the above entitled cause has executed the bond required by the decree for sale in said cause.

mar15 td JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk.

New York Daily Tribune.

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Alexandria Gazette.

FRIDAY EVENING, MAR. 17, 1905.

Shrewd Druggists.

"The cocaine fiend is more of a nuisance than the man who wants to be straightened up after a jag," said a druggist. "A 'coke fiend' would barter his shoes and his shirt for a bit of the memory killer, and he works all sorts of schemes to get the stuff.

"Not long ago a chap entered the store while I was busy," said my friend the druggist, "and asked me for a bunch of prescription blanks for Dr. Blank, whose office is only a square away. It was a moment of preoccupation on my part, and I handed out a pad of blanks. In a couple of days the same chap returned with a prescription for cocaine, signed by the same physician. He didn't get it. I happened to know the signature of the physician, and it was not done well on this particular prescription.

"More than a prescription is necessary to fool a druggist. It looks easy to copy a form from one piece of paper to another, but not one person in ten who does not know the medicine can do it successfully. We can spot a forger more easily than a bank cashier. There's always something missing when an amateur writes a prescription."—Pittsburg Gazette.

National Campaign Funds.

During national campaigns the books of the treasurer and manager are kept in a peculiar way. Instead of entering accounts by name each account is given a number and is thus carried throughout the campaign. The key to this legendary system is known only to two or three trusted men, and the accountants who keep the books have not the slightest knowledge of what state committee or other organization or individual stands behind the number. After the campaign is over the books are burned, and all the records, except possibly some private memoranda kept by the manager, are wiped out of existence. Such a thing as the auditing of campaign expenditures was never known and probably never will be known so far as national campaigns are concerned. Everything is trusted to the honor of the responsible men, and I have never heard that any of the managers of a national campaign were suspected of betrayal of their trust in any way.—Walter Wellman in Success.

Old Hickory.

Many explanations have been given as to the sobriquet "Old Hickory" as applied to Andrew Jackson. There is an older explanation than that suggested by James Parton in his life of Jackson—that the title was evolved from progressive adjectives, starting with "tough" as applied to his endurance as a walker. In the early days of Tennessee's statehood Jackson, then a major general of volunteers, raised a body of troops to put down a formidable rising of the Creek Indians. During the campaign there was much suffering from lack of food, and it is related that Jackson received his popular sobriquet of "Old Hickory" from his subsisting on hickory nuts, with the purpose of inspiring his men with renewed fortitude by his example, the title also being a fitting one for the "tough" peculiarities of his temperament.

Took Him For a Sheriff.

In his young days, when the late John Coleman was an architect's assistant, but already had aspirations toward the drama, he obtained through a chance business connection an introduction to Charles Mathews. Before the interview a little incident took place which throws a striking light upon the public favorite's precarious position. Mathews had just handed his wife from her carriage and was entering the Haymarket when the young man came up. "His back was turned to me; so, approaching timidly, I touched him upon the arm," says Coleman in telling of the incident. "Turning round like a shot, he inquired, 'At whose suit?'"

Are You Engaged?

Engaged people should remember, that, after marriage, many quarrels can be avoided by keeping their digestion in good condition with Electric Bitters. S. A. Brown, of Bennettsville, S. C., says: "For years my wife suffered intensely from dyspepsia, complicated with a torpid liver, until she lost her strength and vigor and became a mere wreck of her former self. Then she tried Electric Bitters, which helped her at once, and finally made her entirely well. She is now strong and healthy." E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists, sells and guarantees them at 50c a bottle.

Inflammatory Rheumatism Cured.

William Shaffer, a brakeman of Dennison, Ohio, was confined to his bed for several weeks with inflammatory rheumatism. "I used many remedies," he says. "Finally I sent to McCaw's drug store for a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, at which time I was unable to use hand or foot, and in one week's time was able to go to work as happy as a clam." For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

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Don't drug the stomach to cure a cough. One Minute Cough Cure cuts the mucus, draws the inflammation out of the throat, lungs and bronchial tubes, heals and soothes and cures. A quick cure for Croup and Whooping Cough. Sold by all druggists.

There is one rational way to treat nasal catarrh: the medicine is applied direct to the affected membrane. The remedy is Ely's Cream Balm. It restores the inflammed tissue to a healthy state without drying all the life out of them and it gives back the lost senses of taste and smell. The sufferer who is tried of vain experiments should use Cream Balm. Druggists sell it for 50 cts. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren street, New York, will mail it.

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Catherine Amelia Triplett vs. William Thomas Triplett, Albert H. Triplett, Ahlena Letitia Triplett, Bettie Triplett Gant, Louise Augustan Triplett, an infant under the age of fourteen years, and Charles Gant, the husband of the said Bettie Triplett Gant; Jennie T. Triplett, Essie May Triplett, John Francis Triplett and Carrie Bell Triplett, the latter three being infants under the age of fourteen years.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a sale and a division of the proceeds amongst the parties entitled of the real estate of which William Triplett died seized and possessed, the same not being susceptible of partition in kind.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, William Thomas Triplett, Albert H. Triplett and Ahlena Letitia Triplett, are non-residents of this State: It is ordered, that said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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